

GREAT CEREMONY IN JAP CAPITAL

Emperor of Japan Invested With the
Order of the Garter

Tokio, Feb. 21.—The impressive ceremony of the investiture of the Emperor of Japan with the Order of the Garter took place today in the presence of about eighty high official personages, including the Crown Prince and Imperial Princess, Premier Saionji, Foreign Minister Kato, the Household Ministers, Field Marshalls Yamagata and Oyama, the entire membership of the party headed by the Duke of Connaught which brought the order and the British Ambassador Sir. Claude Macdonald, and members of the embassy. Only those personages who were specially invited were permitted to be present. After the ceremony the Emperor visited the Duke and expressed his appreciation of Great Britain's friendship.

CALGARY WANTS FACTORIES

Calgary, Feb. 19.—At a meeting of the council tonight it was decided to submit a by-law to the people to raise a hundred thousand to improve the water works system, also thirty thousand to extend the electric light system. The council decided on the policy for Manufacturers of granting exemptions to any industry employing twenty-five or more hands.

MANITOBA STORE BURNED

Russell, Man., Feb. 20.—A store with the Forester's hall above, belonging to Mr. Wright and occupied by Hill & Son, was destroyed by fire today. The fire started from the furnace. Wright has \$2,500 insurance on the building, while Hill's goods were partly covered. None of the contents were saved.

THISTLES RETURNING

Winnipeg, Feb. 21.—Members of the Edmonton hockey team arrived in the city yesterday from Brandon and are registered at the Corona Hotel. The team leaves for the west this afternoon and will likely play Portage la Prairie Wednesday night on the way home. The team will reach Edmonton on Saturday.

NATIVES KILLED BRITISH TROOPS

Expedition Sent Out From Lagos
to Quell the Disturbance

London, Feb. 21.—Five British officers and a company of native troops have been killed by fanatics near Sokoto in the northern part of Nigeria. A dispatch from Lagos, Africa, reports that a punitive expedition has been sent out. Lagos is the principal city of British Nigeria, on the west coast of Africa.

WINNIPEG MARKETS

Winnipeg, Feb. 20.—No. 1 northern, 75c; No. 2 northern 72 1/2c; No. 3 northern 71; No. 2, white oats 32 1/2c; No. 3 barley, 37 3/4c; No. 1 flax, 1.92.

BLAIR RETAINED BY C. P. R.
Ottawa, Feb. 20.—Hon. A. G. Blair, former Minister of Railways has been retained by the Canadian Pacific at a salary of ten thousand dollars a year as Ottawa solicitor and consulting attorney.

WED AND FLED

Winnipeg, Feb. 20.—Deserted at the church door was the ending to a match arranged at the police court Saturday. Demytro Tychoff was arrested on information of Marie Wowdo and charged with seduction. The magistrate gave the prisoner a choice of marrying the girl or going to jail. Demytro decided in favor of the woman. Under the watchful eye of a detective a marriage license was secured and the couple adjourned to the Church of St. Nicholas. Here according to the ancient custom, both parties were asked if they were satisfied with their choice. Both parties replied in the affirmative. The marriage was solemnized and the twin pronounced man and wife. While the woman on her knees was saying up prayers, Demytro did some hard thinking. He had obeyed the mandates of the court and feared them no more, therefore he made a bold bid for freedom and rushed from the church at top speed and disappeared.

COMMISSIONERS PROPOSE IMMENSE PUBLIC WORKS

Propose to Spend \$115,000 on Water Works and Sewers
and \$66,000 on Street Car Line

At the regular meeting of the city council last night two sets of plans were laid on the table by the city engineer for two immensely important and costly public works to be undertaken during the coming summer.

The first of the plans calls for extending the water service three miles and the sewage system four and one fifth miles.

The second set of plans provides for a street railway from Klinsino to Twenty-first street on Jasper avenue and from Jasper to the Canadian Northern depot on First street.

The estimated cost of the sewer and water works extensions is \$115,000, and the estimated cost of the street railway which it is proposed to build is \$66,000.

In answer to a question by Alderman Boyle when the plans were laid on the table, Mr. Hargreaves, city engineer, stated, in effect, that the water works and sewer extensions proposed were for the west end only, and that no work could be done in the east end this year.

These plans are subject to the ratification of the aldermen before they can be submitted to the ratepayers for approval of the expenditure.

At the meeting last night there were present Aldermen Boyle, Picard, Latta, Mays, Smith and Bellamy, with Mayor May in the chair.

After the minutes were read a delegation from among the directors of the hospital, headed by Principal Riddell, of the hospital board, and John A. McDougall, were allowed to speak. They asked the city council to have a clause placed in the city charter, when the amendments were being made, to the effect that money might be raised by bylaw for hospital purposes, the same as for school purposes, or other necessary public works.

The council decided to deal with the request and instruct the city solicitor to have the clause inserted in the charter.

W. H. Martin requested the privilege of moving the Lubbock & Moffatt building 2 1/2 feet to the west and building an enclosed stairway. The request was granted.

Among the communications were three applications for the position of auditor, in answer to the advertisements recently published, for the year 1906.

G. Percy Blythe, who stated that he was a chartered accountant and that he had had extensive experience in municipal book-keeping, applied for the position at \$500 a year, which is \$100 more than offered by the city and \$200 more than heretofore paid.

A. R. Tomlinson stated in his application that he believed that past services justified him in expecting to be awarded the position. He said that his work for last year had been endorsed by the expert employed by the city to make a special report, and if the city councillors would read this special report carefully they would come to the conclusion that the special auditor agreed with him (Mr. Tomlinson) in so many points that he was completely vindicated. He made application at the price stated by the city, \$400.

A. R. Jacques, of Strathcona, who said that he was an undergraduate of Toronto university and had served as auditor on several sets of municipal books in the east, applied for the position at the regular salary.

Alderman Boyle moved and Alderman Mays seconded, that A. R. Tomlinson be retained as auditor.

Ald. Picard moved and Ald. Bellamy seconded that G. Percy Blythe be appointed auditor.

On the vote, Ald. Latta voted with Boyle and Mays for Tomlinson, and Ald. Smith with Picard and Bellamy for Blythe, passing it up to the mayor as a tie. Mayor May voted that G. Percy Blythe be retained as auditor. Ald. Boyle asked that the vote be recorded.

A report of the city commissioners containing recommendations with regard to changes and increase in the salaries of city employees was laid on the table by Secretary-Treasurer Kinard. Alderman Boyle asked that the members of the council be supplied with copies of the recommendations along with a list of the salaries paid heretofore and that the whole be considered at a special meeting called for the purpose, when the Aldermen agreed to.

Public Works Commissioner Hargreaves submitted his report recommending the city to take up the construction of the water main extensions and sewer extensions, called for in the plan accompanying his report.

PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION

Arrangements Begun for Edmonton's
Big Fair for 1906

The first "Provincial exhibition of Alberta" will be held in Edmonton beginning on the 2nd of July and continuing till the 5th. These dates were set at the meeting of the exhibition association held in the office of H. R. Mountfield on Tuesday evening, upon motion of Messrs. J. H. Gariepy and J. H. Picard. There were present at the meeting Messrs. Thos. Bellamy, Thos. Daly, J. H. Gariepy, Mayor May, J. B. Mercer, John A. McDougall, J. H. Picard and H. R. Mountfield. John McDougall was elected chairman of the meeting.

A report was presented by J. H. Gariepy, chairman of the committee appointed to wait upon the city council, which stated that the reception of the committee by the council has been most favorable. The city had guaranteed the exhibition against \$5000 loss and had leased the grounds for the year.

The election of directors and officers was then held and resulted as follows:

President—J. H. Morris.
Vice president—J. B. Mercer.
Directors—W. S. Robertson, Thos. Daly, J. H. Picard, J. H. Gariepy, Thos. Bellamy, J. A. McDougall, Donald Ross, Robt. May, Caracaden.
STANDING COMMITTEES
Finance—Thos. Bellamy.
Attractions—J. H. Morris.
Prize list—W. L. Robertson.
Grounds—Thos. Bellamy.
Racing—J. B. Mercer.
Secretary-Treasurer—H. R. Mountfield, at \$50 per month.
Clerk of course—W. H. Cooper.

DIRECTORS IN CHARGE
Horses—J. A. McDougall.
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Poultry and dogs, grain and grasses, and horticulture—Mr. Caracaden.
Dairy products—J. H. Gariepy.
Domestic and Miscellaneous—W. S. Robertson.

Ladies' work, natural history and school exhibits—J. H. Picard.
Races and sports—J. B. Mercer.
Exhibits—Donald Ross.
Fair grounds—Thos. Bellamy, W. S. Robertson and Chas. May.

A communication was read from Hon. W. T. Finlay, Minister of Agriculture, and provincial secretary, granting permission to the association to use the word "Provincial" in connection with the exhibition of 1906. It was decided to call the fair "The First Provincial Exhibition of Alberta."

The matter of appointing a caretaker for the exhibition grounds was left to Thomas Bellamy.

The secretary-treasurer, H. R. Mountfield, was instructed to apply for membership for the association in the American Trotting Association.

A prize list will be issued at an early date.

The directors in charge are working energetically and untiringly to make the exhibition a record-breaker.

POULTRY SHOW IN STRATHCONA

Alberta Pet Stock Association Holds
Annual Exhibition in March

The annual exhibition of the Alberta Poultry and Pet Stock Association will be held in Strathcona on March 20, 21 and 22. A fine list of prizes is offered for all varieties of poultry and dogs. V. T. Richards of Strathcona, who is secretary of the association, states that this year's show is going to be the biggest of them all and he is anxious to give information to all inquiries regarding the prize.

NO MILITARY FOR BRANDON
Brandon, Feb. 21.—At the regular meeting of the city council held last night a communication was read from the militia department to the effect that the establishment of a permanent unit here would not be in the best interests of the service and holding out no hope for the city's request being granted.

KENORA DEFEATS WINNIPEG
Winnipeg, Feb. 21.—Playing hockey with several degrees removed from the Stanley Cup brand, the Kenora Thistles last night administered to the Winnipeggers their first defeat of the Manitoba League season at the Arena and thereby left the championship in doubt. The score was 7 to 5.

NEARING THE CLOSE OF THE LILGE TRIAL

Bruderheim Case Nearing an End—Defence Witnesses Occupy the Stand To-day

With the court room crowded to the doors, the second trial of Ludwig Lilge, charged with the crime of murder, is proceeding, intense interest is being taken in the hearing of the evidence. Up to yesterday afternoon practically no new evidence to that which came out at the last trial had been taken.

At three o'clock Mr. McDonald, Crown prosecutor, called his last witness, Samuel Nankin, the Edmonton jeweler who showed that the number on the burnt watch found in Lilge's engine corresponded with that on a memorandum which he made at the time he sold Leslie a watch.

The cross-examination of Sgt. Pennyquik was continued at the opening of the afternoon session. Witness did not know that the statement of Lilge was improperly and irregularly obtained. He had no way of finding out. The large knife exhibited "S" had been brought to the Fort by Hoehme some time after Hoehme had been let out on bail. When searching at Lilge's house for the note given him by Hoehme, witness did not allow the prisoner to go into the house to search his own papers. Witness spoke about the ring of a watch which he had found in the prisoner's pocket, and said he had not brought it up from the Fort, as it had not been considered of interest in the case at the last trial.

Mr. Biggar asked witness if the ring was burnt, and witness said that it was blackened, but would not swear that this had been caused by fire. A telephone message was sent to the Fort asking that the ring be sent up. A man immediately started with the ring for the city. His Lordship adjourned court until this morning. Sgt. Pennyquik's evidence regarding the ring will likely conclude the evidence for the Crown, and it is probable that several witnesses will be called for the defence. Gustave Hoehme, the man who was acquitted last year on the same charge, has been subpoenaed as a witness.

Throughout the trial the prisoner has maintained a most cheerful aspect, and appears to regard the situation at present, very hopeful.

This morning's session of the court was taken up with the hearing of evidence for the defence, and several witnesses were put into the box. At the opening of the court the ring which was sent for yesterday afternoon, was produced by Sgt. Pennyquik.

When the court adjourned at noon, Mrs. Hoehme, wife of Gustave Hoehme, was in the box, and her examination will continue this afternoon. The case will likely be concluded this evening.

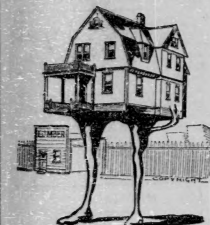
John Shaurman, was the first witness called for the defence. Shaurman is a farmer at Bruderheim, and is a brother-in-law of the deceased. He testified to a peculiarity of the prisoner of taking little things that did not belong to him. He said that he had noticed the peculiarity for several years.

Cross-examined, the witness spoke of several occasions when the prisoner had taken things.

Carl Ebert, who lived at Bruderheim up to two years ago, was called, and said he had known prisoner for nine years.

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- \$2,500** Corner Lot on Jasper avenue. Good terms. This is a chance to get a lot which will give a fair profit in a few months.
- \$1,850** We are instructed to sell an extra fine house with 7 rooms, and up-to-date in every way. Lot on Fraser and Queens avenues, \$700 down and balance to suit.
- \$3,300** For a large block on Jasper avenue, with House close to Post Office. If you can find time call and see us, we have several propositions like this. Terms.
- \$17,500** For 5 Lots on First street with House, H.B.R. Terms. Don't miss this snap.
- \$13,500** For a Lot on Jasper, between Fraser and McDougall avenues with building. This is worth investigation. Terms easy.
- \$1,750** For 2 Lots and nice little house in River lots, close in. Terms.
- \$5,000** For a choice house and lot (corner) on McDougall avenue. Terms.
- \$25,000** For Jasper avenue property. Terms. Splendid buildings.
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- \$1,050** This will make you buy if you have the money to spare. Lot 235, Bk. 1, H.B.R. Terms.
- \$500** Will purchase a Lot facing the Government Reserve on Government avenue. We advise you to buy this to build on. This will be high priced property in a few months. Terms.
- \$15,000** The finest property on Queen's avenue; large house, up-to-date in every way. Terms.
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NEWSY ITEMS FROM STRATHCONA

The Bulletin's Daily Budget From the Sister Town

Strathcona, Feb. 20.—Messrs. Davidson and Wolfe, are very busy now manufacturing for Messrs. Walters and O'Brien who are shipping extensively to eastern customers.

Mayor Sheppard came in this afternoon over the C. & E. from Calgary, where he had a conference with the C. P. R. officials.

Mr. Logan of North Dakota, is at the Alberta. He came in on the landseekers' excursion and is here for the purpose of taking up a homestead and purchasing other land.

We understand a company of C. P. R. surveyors have been in our town lately and are engaged in measuring a proposed line via the high level bridge line to Edmonton.

Mr. Talbot, M.P., Mr. Puffer, M.P., Dr. Findlater, D. A. Gourlay Esq., T. D. Smith Esq., all gentlemen from Lacombe, were at the Royal here last night. Mr. A. S. Rosenroth, M. P. P. was also in town at the Royal. These gentlemen left this morning for the capital.

Mrs. Haku, of Saskatchewan, was lately in town on important business. The first session of the Edmonton convention embracing the Edmonton and Vermilion district will convene in the Methodist church here, February 12 at 8 p.m., and also February 22 at 9 a.m., 2 p.m., and 8 p.m., all are welcome.

On dit: The Presbyterians have definitely decided to build a new place of worship and a board of managers have been appointed to push the project to a finish.

A very enjoyable social dance took place here last night in Ross hall. Some twenty-five couples, representative of the "youth and beauty" of our town were present and enjoyed themselves immensely. This party was given in honor of Mr. Kinneer, late of the Bank of Nova Scotia staff here, on the eve of his departure for Chicago, where he again goes on the staff. Mr. Kinneer leaves for the U. S. this evening.

The Duggan brick block, corner of Whyte avenue and east Railway street, has been sold to Mr. N. McLean of British Columbia for \$22,000. This is admitted to be a good bargain for the purchaser.

The I. O. O. F. held their regular weekly meeting here last night. Initiation and music were the distinctive features of the gathering.

EDMONTON MAN ABROAD

Wilber, Neb., Feb. 15, 1906.

Editor of The Edmonton Bulletin, Edmonton, Alberta.

Dear Sir—My journey is getting near the end, and I think it is no less than a duty from me to let the Edmonton people know all the news I did pick up in the W. S. A. about our Province of Alberta and especially about our city of Edmonton. It is eight years since I left the United States and the places which I am visiting now, and I must only say that Edmonton is good enough for me, and I am very anxious to get back again. Not because I do not like the country or people but because it is not our Canadian style, a little too fast in every way. It is quite different now from the time I left here eight years ago. I left Edmonton Dec. 26, 1905, on the C. P. R. to Moose Jaw, on the S.W. line down to St. Paul, where we had to change cars and take the Chicago & Northwestern to Omaha, Neb., where our excursion tickets end. From Omaha via Lincoln, Neb., to Wilber. I found that we had better weather at Edmonton than here. From Nebraska to Iowa, Illinois and Wisconsin, but I am not going to waste time describing all the small places, only Chicago. The impression Chicago made upon me I cannot explain. The 22-story blocks, the narrow streets, and a person without a good guide is simply lost. The National Bohemian cemetery is something worth seeing. The street car system is grand. Our guide gave us a ride of 55 miles for \$4. Everywhere people are talking about Alberta and especially Edmonton, and judging from all expressions we are going to have a large crowd of immigrants this spring and summer. Not only housekeepers, but people with money, because most of the people I talk with have money and are looking for a new country. So I am glad that I have such good news for my friends and citizens of Edmonton and I am glad that within a week I will be in their circle again.

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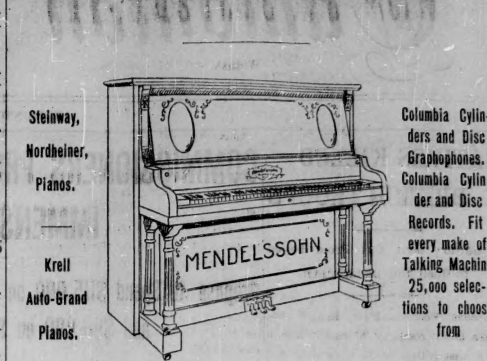
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Wetaskiwin Minister Met Sudden Death on Monday

News has reached the city that the Rev. P. Almgren, a Swedish Lutheran minister of Wetaskiwin was accidentally killed by a falling tree on Monday afternoon. The unfortunate gentleman was returning from Pigeon Lake where he had held services on the preceding day. Some parties were cutting down trees near the trail and a tree started to fall as Mr. Almgren and his companion were passing. Both leaped from the buggy to escape, but Mr. Almgren was caught by the falling tree and instantly killed. The gentleman accompanying him escaped serious injury.

RED DEER NEWS

Red Deer, Feb. 19.—J. C. Malcolm returned to town Saturday.

Messrs. Geo. and Francis E. Williams returned on Saturday from the coast where they have been sojourning for the past six weeks.

Rev. Robinson, of Winnipeg officiated at the Baptist church yesterday. Kenny Blatchford, the Edmonton crack skater is billed to meet Thompson of Calgary at the rink here on Wednesday night.

Mr. W. Tulley of Peterborough, Ont. organizer for the Oddfellows lodge is spending a few days in town.

We regret the necessity of chronicling the sudden decease of Lily, one of the bright twin daughters of Mr. Fred Krause of the Alexandra hotel. Nearly all day Saturday, she in company with several other tots was playing happily out around the house, but at about five o'clock in the afternoon she was taken sick, and the doctor being called in pronounced it a most malignant type of scarlet fever and notwithstanding strenuous efforts on the part of the doctor she died about two o'clock Sunday morning.

Mr. Phil. Pidgeon of Pidgeon & Wallace left today for Medicine Hat, where he will attend the first big Masonic convention of the new province. He was accompanied by his wife and son Roy.

The congregation of the Methodist church here contemplate building a \$20,000 church on the site of the present church as soon as the spring arrives.

SMALL-POX IN CARMAN

Carman, Man. Feb. 21.—All places of public assembly have been closed here on account of small-pox and strict quarantine regulations are being enforced.

NEARING THE CLOSE OF THE LILGE TRIAL

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years. He testified also to the proclivity of the prisoner for taking things. The prisoner would not try to conceal the fact that he had stolen things, rather would he brag of it. Witness who was butcher said that Lilge never helped to kill animals as he could never bear the sight of blood. John Hialop, of Edmonton, was called and testified that there was a disease or state of mind called kleptomania. Witness described the disease as a form of insanity, an irresistible desire to take small things without any purpose. The disease was fairly commonly known and was of a slightly hereditary nature, and could be overruled by teaching. It would be characteristic of a kleptomaniac to take advantage of an opportunity to steal. Kleptomaniacs were not courageous and would not be likely to commit any more serious crime.

Cross-examined, witness said the family history of a kleptomaniac would have to be known to show the difference between an outright theft and merely a fancy of a kleptomaniac. Witness said that a planned robbery would not be characteristic of a kleptomaniac.

Rev. Andreas Lilge, father of the prisoner, was placed in the box and said the prisoner had lived at home for 20 years. When he was a child, prisoner had a peculiarity of stealing small things. When he had a spell like that he was always shy and bashful.

When asked in cross-examination if he knew David Cronig, witness said he did. Witness said he saw him at Lilge's home, after Lilge had been arrested. Asked if he made the statement "I believe that Ludwig did the deed, but we must not let it go that way, we must do what we can," witness said "no," but that Cronig had said that, and witness had said to him, "It will come to light who did the deed."

Heinrich Rinas, farmer at Bruderheim, was at Lilge's house the night of the fire. Lilge was at home till 10 o'clock, when he said he was going out to look for his horse, as he was going to the bush the next day. Witness went home from Lilge's at ten, and went to bed.

Charlotte Hoehme, wife of Gustave Hoehme, was called, and said she had been married to Hoehme for ten years. A few weeks before the fire Hoehme was uneasy and did not sleep at nights. Witness went to bed at 9 or 10, Hoehme did not come till late, sometimes at twelve or two.

She remembered the night of the fire. That night she went to bed at 10 o'clock. Did not know when Hoehme came to bed, as she was asleep. Witness woke up at two o'clock, by hearing something like someone clapping his hands. She put a fire in the stove downstairs, and then saw the fire at the store. Witness' husband was awake when she saw the fire. He got up and saw the fire and said he thought it was

the church. Witness said she thought it was the church. Police had come to Hoehme's place the day before he was arrested. The morning he was arrested, Hoehme came down from upstairs and rolled up some books and papers and went into the store. Afterwards witness had looked for the papers but could not find them. She also looked for a knife which her husband told her about. She looked for it in the living room and in the stable. She found it the night her husband was released. He had been home all day. Witness found the knife in the stable. Recognized the knife produced as the one she found.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, marked on the envelope, "Tenders for Construction," will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway at Ottawa, until twelve o'clock noon on Monday, the 12th day of March, 1906, for the work required for the construction, in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications of said Commissioners, for the following sections of the Transcontinental Railway, the said work to be completed on or before the first day of December, 1907, viz: (1) District "P", from a point designated on the plans of the said Commissioners at or near the City of Winnipeg, to a point known as Peninsula Crossing, near the junction point of the Fox William branch of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, a distance of about 245 miles. (2) District "B", from a point designated on the plans of the said Commissioners, at the north end of the Quebec Bridge and Railway Company's bridge in the vicinity of the City of Quebec, to a point near La Tuque, a distance of about 150 miles. (3) A steel viaduct about 3,000 feet long across the Cap Rouge Valley, in said District "B". In the vicinity of the City of Quebec, the work to be performed in accordance with the General Specifications of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, and the General Specifications for steel bridges and viaducts of the Department of Railways and Canals of Canada, 1905.

Plans, profiles and specifications may be seen in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Commissioners at Ottawa, also in the office of the District Engineer at Kenora, Ontario, for the section of District "P", and for the section of District "B" in the office of the District Engineer at Quebec.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made in duplicate and on the printed forms supplied by the Commissioners. Separate tenders must be submitted for the work in each District.

Tenders shall not be in any way entitled to rely upon the classification of the work or the classification of the work or any other information given by any person on behalf of the Commissioners, and before submitting any tender, bidders should make a careful examination of the plans, profiles, drawings and specifications, and read the forms to be executed and fully inform themselves as to the quantity and quality of materials and character of workmanship required; and are understood to accept and agree to be bound by the terms and conditions contained in the form of contract, specifications, etc., annexed to the form of tender.

Each tender must be signed and sealed by all the parties to the tender, and witnessed, and be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank of the Dominion of Canada, payable to the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway for the sum of four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000), for District "P", and two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$225,000) for District "B", and thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) for steel viaduct in said District "B". Any person whose tender is accepted, shall, within ten days after the acceptance thereof, furnish the security required by the Commissioners for due and faithful performance of the contract, according to its terms, sign the contract, specifications and other documents required to be signed by said Commissioners; and in any case of refusal or failure on the part of the party whose tender is accepted to complete and execute a contract with the said Commissioners and to furnish the required security within ten days after the acceptance of the tender, the said cheque shall be forfeited to the Commissioners as liquidated damages for such refusal or failure, and all contract rights acquired by the acceptance of the tender shall be forfeited. Cheques deposited by parties whose tenders are rejected will be returned within ten days after the signing of the contract.

Attention is called to the following clauses in the form of contract: "All mechanics, laborers or other persons who perform labour for the purposes of the construction of the works hereby contracted for shall be paid such wages as are generally accepted as current for competent workmen in the District in which the work is being performed, and if there is no current rate in such district, then a fair and reasonable rate; and, in the event of a dispute arising as to what is the current or a fair and reasonable rate, it shall be determined by the Commissioners, whose decision shall be final."

"This agreement is subject to the regulations now in force, or which may at any time hereafter be in force during the construction of the works hereby contracted for, made under the authority of the Department of Labour, and which are or shall be applicable to such works."

"The contractor shall in connection with the whole of the said work, as far as practicable, use only material, machinery, plant, supplies and rolling stock manufactured or produced in Canada, provided the same can be obtained as cheaply and upon as good terms in Canada as elsewhere, having regard to quality and price."

The contractor shall conform to the Fire Regulations adopted by the Commissioners, and also to the Laws and Regulations respecting fire in the different Provinces wherein the work is being performed.

The right is reserved to reject any or all tenders.

By order, P. E. RYAN, Secretary.

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A PROVINCIAL TELEPHONE SYSTEM

The telephone situation is certain to be among the matters to demand the early consideration of the Provincial legislators, and signs are not wanting that the question will claim attention at the first session of the House.

It may therefore not be inopportune to consider the practicability and advisability of undertaking at an early date the inception of a general telephone system designed to meet the requirements of the Province in such a manner and under such auspices as would secure to the public the fullest service of which such system is capable, with the assurance of uniformly reasonable charges.

Alberta is as yet only at the beginning of things, and should, by timely and well-considered action be able to secure many advantages which the experience of the older provinces has proven desirable, but which under the complicated conditions of fuller development are found practically, if not actually impossible. If Ontario would be better off today with a provincial telephone system operated to meet the requirements of the public rather than to yield dividends for shareholders, it is reasonable that Alberta should profit by Ontario's experience and avoid its repetition in this province.

There are now in operation in different parts of the Province local telephone systems designed to serve their respective communities, some under private and some under municipal ownership. These local systems represent the primary stage in the development of telephone communication and however well they may have served the purposes of their establishment, the conditions under which they were installed are rapidly passing away and the means which supplied the local needs of widely separated districts cannot fulfill the broader sphere of usefulness which is open to a Provincial system.

While in a sparsely-settled country the purpose of a telephone system may not extend beyond that of providing means of communication between residents of a community, in a thickly-settled country the local system which merely accommodates the district in which it is located falls far short of the needs and opportunities of the case. Such system to adequately fulfill the demands of commerce must be part of a great whole, a link in the chain of communication by means of which the business of a Province and a nation thrives.

As the value of a telephone to a patron depends on the number of other 'phones to which it gives him access so the value of a modern system to a community depends on the number of other local systems with which it is connected. Such is the field of usefulness open to the modern telephone and Alberta has the opportunity of securing the establishment of an entire provincial system of which each local system would form a part.

It was the recognition of this demand for connection between systems which led the Bell Telephone Company to institute its long distance system in Alberta and this system cannot be directly connected with the Edmonton District telephone system today because of structural differences.

The demand for rural telephone systems, too, is growing in every Province of the Dominion with a rapidity which calls for broad provision for the future by every province which hopes to meet the requirements of its people for telephone facilities.

The establishment of a system which will meet these conditions can only be secured by the inauguration of a general plan under the supervision of a common authority. Conditions in the Province are changing not more rapidly than are improvements and modifications being made in telephone appliances. Hence to permit a multitude of local systems to be installed in accordance with the increase of population and the development of towns and cities with no insurance of uniformity in construction might well result in a chaos where connection and inter-communication would be impossible.

A telephone system is and must in the nature of things be a monopoly. Competition is impossible, and where

tried has resulted only in two or more inefficient systems instead of one system covering the entire field. Under such conditions the interests of the public can only be conserved by complete Government control.

A plan by which this control might be thoroughly secured and a telephone system such as indicated above be built up throughout the Province is suggested by the arrangement under which the Federal Government has so successfully and satisfactorily administered the creamery industry in the Northwest. A few years since this industry was taken up by the Department of Agriculture, and from a languishing or expiring state it has become one of the most profitable branches of western agricultural enterprise.

The plan adopted is briefly this. Farmers in a community desiring the establishment of a creamery, form a joint stock company and erect a suitable building. The Government installs the best available machinery at the lowest price obtainable. The Government operates the creamery, charging a fixed price on the output for operating expenses and another fixed amount to be credited against the cost of the machinery. Any surplus from the operating account is also credited to this account. The result as it works out is that the stockholders get the best available machinery, and the benefit of the expert operation and handling of products, while the cost of the machinery is paid for by the profits of the enterprise and the entire concern eventually belongs to the people.

A somewhat similar plan should be applicable to the telephone problem. The residents of a community, or the settlers in a district desiring telephone communication might form a company and bear the cost of erecting the necessary line, the Government supplying the instruments at a moderate rental, operating the system, the proceeds from the rent of telephones going to pay for the instruments and the tolls from transient business being applied to defray the expenses of operation, the surplus being divided among the shareholders of the local systems.

Incorporated municipalities could be admitted as companies formed for the erection of lines, allowance being made in the accounting for systems already installed. Telegraph lines owned by the Federal Government, and which, by the construction of railways may soon be rendered unnecessary, might be taken over and converted into telephone lines. A trunk line might be built from the northern to the southern settled portions of the Province with the local systems radiating therefrom.

By this plan the fullest Government control would be secured over one of the most valuable monopolies in the Province; a Provincial system would be gradually established capable of extension in accordance with increased requirements and constructed in conformity with a general plan for securing to the public all the benefits possible from such system, while the cost of the enterprise would ultimately be met by proceeds from its operation.

NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL
Ottawa, Feb. 19.—Hon. Wm. Fielding is confined to his residence with a sprained ankle.
Hon. W. R. Emmerson is re-organizing the system of handling coal on the I.C.R. whereby he expects to save three quarters of a million dollars.
E. A. Williams a private detective of Montreal, has been appointed chief detective of the Government railway, vice Skemington retired.
Canadian banks have agreed with the Finance Department's plan for redemption and exportation of United States silver.

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S. 1/2 12-51-13, 320 acres, good soil, \$2400, half cash, balance easy terms.

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W. 1/2 15-51-15, This is a beautiful half section, surface slightly rolling, some brush and poplar groves, about 70 acres hay meadow, soil very rich deep black loam, clay subsoil. \$9.00 per acre, one third cash, balance one and two years.

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W. 1/2 16-52-13, Mostly level, soil deep black loam, clay subsoil, nearly all open land, 15 acres broken this year. This is a choice piece of land well located one and a half miles from C. & N. station, \$9.00 per acre, half cash.

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B. 1/2 28-53-22, an improved farm 7 miles from Fort Saskatchewan, surface slopes slightly to the creek, running across the half section, soil deep black, clay subsoil, 80 acres under cultivation, all fenced with wire, tamaras posts, one mile from school, telephone and church. This is a good buy, \$19.50 per acre, \$2500 cash, balance to suit purchaser.

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THAT LOCAL IMPROVEMENT TAX

Editor Bulletin:
The Local Improvement Tax, complaint against which was recently made in the Bulletin, is of small import so far as one individual is concerned, but amounts to considerable in the aggregate. Probably a majority of the settlers in Alberta are from the States and have repeatedly been told by immigration agents that there are no taxes in Northwest Canada, except a small school tax. Americans appreciate good schools and good roads and are willing to be taxed a reasonable amount to maintain them, but do not like to be taxed for proteases, or big salaries to worthless or needless employees.

The Legislative Assembly for the Northwest Territories evidently meant well when it members enacted the present Local Improvement Ordinance, but they certainly erred in judgment. I believe Sir Isaac Newton once admitted that when theory is opposed to fact, fact must be recognized.

I once heard Mr. Tabbot explain the theory of the Local Improvement Ordinance. The theory is that in a large district—four townships—better roads will be made for less money than would be possible to get in small districts, but fact will demonstrate that it would have been much better to have divided the township into four districts, although it might not be in harmony with the seeming tendency to centralize power in Canada. In the States, all powers not especially delegated to the Congress are reserved to the states to get them as near the people as possible. Here the reverse appears to be the rule. In the actual workings of the Local Improvement Ordinance, as in the School Ordinance, taxpayers have no voice except to meet and elect—not by ballot as in the States, but viva voce—officials to enforce the arbitrary rules and regulations laid down by the department. The four councillors, not the ratepayers, have the power to fix the tax for road purposes. The same is true of the powers of a school board. The only two districts I have reports from fixed the road tax at eight dollars, and one, at least, allows forty cents per hour for man and team, with no provision that the team shall not be a cayuse. It is simply a scheme to rob (pardon the term, but I am in the habit of calling a spade a spade), non-resident taxpayers to help out a few fellows who would prefer starvation to actual manual labor.

I challenge any one to show that the road work for 1906 in township 43 range 20 west 4th is worth one-fourth what it cost, yet taxes have been raised from \$4.50 to \$8.00. Non-residents would be justified in going into court to see if they can be forced to pay taxes on land that is not taxable while it remains the property of the C. P. R. Justice certainly would not and law should not tax this land simply because it has become the prospective property of men of smaller means. I am a resident and do not own any railroad land; neither do I reside in the township mentioned.

In any new country one will find sharks of lesser as well as greater magnitude, and this Local Improvement Ordinance furnishes a fine field for the operations of some of the lesser ones. The more local road work can be made the more interest residents take in it and our first Legislative Assembly would do well to divide each township into four districts and allow the voters to fix the amount of tax instead of leaving it to one-man power.

With a road tax of \$8 and a school tax of \$10, many homesteaders will be sadly handicapped and speculators will be wary of investing.

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they are willing to pay a reasonable tax provided the money be judiciously used, but they want something besides "The substance of things hoped for and the evidence of things not seen." They have not been accustomed to paying so exorbitant a road tax nor to paying from \$50 to \$60 a month for rural schools.

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 dictations are, Mr. Ruddick says, that this will transpire.

In closing, Mr. Ruddick said that this was to be the last meeting that he would attend under the present auspices and laid down his work with considerable regret. Since he became connected with the creamery department of the Dominion Government in 1901 he had always taken a deep interest in the development of the business in Alberta, and it was with a feeling of satisfaction that he viewed the progress made in recent years. The Dominion Government had notified the farmers on different occasions that the time was due to arrive when it would have to withdraw from the business and now it had arrived, and he formally handed the management over to the delegates assembled. In doing so he expressed a hope that they would stick together, whatever happened and learn the lesson of co-operation, as it was due solely to the fact that the creameries were all under one management that they were successful. He said that there was much yet to be done, that they had only got fairly started, there is a great deal to be done yet. The poultry and hog raising industry alone held out enormous possibilities and he looked for great things from Alberta. Thanking the delegates for the help they had given the Government in the past in the way of helping the industry along he told them that the creameries were now in their hands to do as they saw fit with.

Following Mr. Ruddick, Mr. Marker, who acted as chairman of the meeting, said that he would like to have an expression of the views of the delegates as to what should be done in the way of conducting the industry for the future.

Mr. Ward, secretary of the Red Deer creamery, said that the feeling of the farmers there was that there should be some kind of combination to keep all the creameries together. At their annual meeting there was a unanimous conclusion was that the provincial Government should take it over. They believed that unless a very strong creamery association could be formed which would keep the creameries in line, the only way in which the farmers would escape the ruinous effects of competition would be by the provincial Government stepping into the place of the Dominion.

The motion to turn the administration and management of the creameries over to the Government, was put and passed unanimously and Hon. W. T. Finlay, Minister of Agriculture, was called upon.

He said that when he had received a letter from the Dominion Government stating that the Federal authorities had decided to relinquish control, he had looked into the matter along with Mr. Ruddick and considering the extent and scope of the industry he decided that the country could not afford to let the creamery business drop—that there was nothing for the Government to do but to take the business over and run it along the same lines as the Dominion Government had done.

The success of the industry depended on the solidarity and co-operation of all the creameries, and the prosperity of the province of Alberta to a very large extent depended on the success of the creameries. He thought it should be the part of the Government of this province, rather than drop out of the business, go into it to a still greater extent, and he thought that the Government would be disposed to take the matter up and consider the advisability of extending and establishing other creameries at desirable locations. Also he thought that the Government would be quite justified in taking the same course with regard to the pork packing industry that the Dominion had already taken with regard to the creameries, i.e., that where an association of farmers were found who would furnish a building for a packing plant that the provincial Government would be disposed to consider the advisability of stocking it with machinery and undertaking the management of the industry.

Premier Rutherford said it was very satisfactory to the provincial Government that the creameries should be conducted under provincial control. The province was slightly at a disadvantage in the matter of experience, as the business would be new to them, but he thought that in some respects, especially in the matter of prompt payment, the province might be able to do even better than the Dominion.

Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Harcourt, said that the Government would endeavor to get the best men to be had to carry on the business and in this connection he mentioned the name of Mr. Marker as just the man who was wanted.

He said that the farmers must study the principles of co-operation. The farmers should be able to handle their own poultry and eggs and from that they should be able to go further and

do their own pork packing. He said that he could safely say for the Government that if the farmer would hang out an agreement that they would hand over their entire product of eggs, poultry and bacon to an institution built by themselves, the Government would be found ready to seriously consider the matter of taking the management of the business over.

Mr. P. Talbot, who was called on, said that in one way he was glad and in one way he was sorry to see the business being relinquished by the Dominion. He thought that the Dominion hardly realized the importance of the business to this province, and did not take it seriously enough. He thought that now that the management was becoming more local it would be more susceptible to suggestions for improvement of the system and the service. He asked the members of the association who were present to make whatever suggestions they had in mind with regard to changes and improvement in the management and he felt sure that some valuable hints might result. As an instance he said that recently he was talking to a member of the association who threw out the suggestion that the matter of prompt payments could be facilitated by issuing receipts to subscribers against the amount of butter to the credit of the subscriber which could be immediately cashed in the bank to at least a percentage of their face value, just as elevator grain tickets were.

J. J. Gregory, Lacombe, moved that in the opinion of this delegation that the Provincial Government should be asked to consider the proposition to set apart a certain amount of money to be advanced at a low rate of interest for the construction and establishment of creameries in the province.

Mr. Rutherford said he thought it would be up to the Government to equip the factories, which would be practically a loan.

Mr. Ruddick said that the danger line in advancing loans was that where the money could be borrowed from the Government there was always the temptation to build creameries where none were necessary. He said that the West was always optimistic and the most serious work of the Provincial Government would be to be careful and see that the creameries were built only where there was business for them. Mr. Geo. Rich, of Oids, said that in seconding the motion that the Government consider lending the money he spoke with a very intimate knowledge of the inconvenience that the farmers had to face in raising money as the Oids creamery was at that moment considering going to the bank for money to rebuild and enlarge their creamery at Oids, and he would be pleased to be able to go back to the association there, and report that the Government was considering loaning the money.

The motion was put and carried unanimously.

James Jensen, secretary-treasurer of the Innisfail creamery said that he understood the Minister of Agriculture to say that if the farmers would advance the money to build the building for a pork packing establishment and supply the hogs, that the Government would consider installing the machinery and handling the business. He wanted to know how many hogs it would be necessary to have before the Government would consider it an available supply. Mr. Finlay and Mr. Marker said that the proposition was not far enough advanced to be able to make any definite statement.

Mr. Rosenroth, secretary of the Wetaskiwin creamery said that if the Government is to take over the pork packing business of the province it would only be fair that it should make some kind of an arrangement with the men who were already in the packing business to reimburse them or take over their plants.

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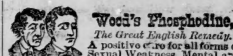
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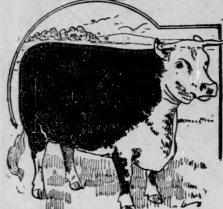
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LOCAL.

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—The high school literary society meets tomorrow afternoon in the school room of All Saint's church.

—Providing there is ice, a skating party will be held on Friday evening by the students of Alberta College on the college rink.

—The semi-finals in the checker tournament at Alberta College are being played off today by Messrs. Dobson, Clark, Liggins and Draper.

—A congregational meeting of the Queen's avenue Presbyterian church will be held this evening in the church to consider a call of a pastor.

—Tomorrow night the second game of hockey between the intermediate Thistles and the college will be played in the rink here. The intermediates play in Strathcona with the intermediates on Friday night.

—A pretty wedding was celebrated in St. Joachim's church on Tuesday morning, Feb. 20th, the contracting parties being Joseph Longlals and Mrs. M. Gardif, both of Edmonton. The happy couple left for an extended visit to Vancouver and the coast.

—Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works will be the feature of an entertainment to be given in All Saint's church tomorrow evening. A musical program will also be provided, and those who will take part are, Mrs. A. H. Bennett, Miss Pulton, Mr. Irvin and Mr. Barford.

—A new feature for Edmonton in the line of entertainment was given in Robertson's hall last evening, in the shape of an assault at arms under the auspices of the Edmonton School of Fencing. Irving's orchestra rendered several selections in a pleasing manner. Flouwright's Mandolin Club were also present, and contributed to the enjoyment of the evening in a way that was fully appreciated. At the opening of the program, Arthur E. Hopkins, late Royal military school, Toronto, and of the R.N.W.M.P. and well-known in Edmonton introduced Sergt-Major R. E. Brutinel, of the 53rd, Regt. Infantry, of the French army, and master of fencing, and these two gentlemen gave an exhibition of foil fencing. Sergt. J. Darrigan of the 8th Carriassiers French army, was another sword expert present, who exhibited his skill with the rapier and sword. Another pleasing feature was the club swinging exhibitions of B. S. Robertson and Arthur Hopkins. These were encored every time. R. G. Lowe with a selection of solos, delighted all present.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Frank Green entertained a few of her friends yesterday afternoon.

Mr. E. W. Burley, Provincial Auditor, returned yesterday afternoon from Banff, where his son Ralph is convalescing.

Miss Ethel Webster entertained a few friends at the Alberta Cafe yesterday afternoon at the tea hour in honor of Mrs. Roberts, of High River.

PUSHING SURVEY WORK

Montreal, Feb. 21.—F. W. Marae, general superintendent of the G.T.P. stated today that survey work on the Grand Trunk Pacific west of Edmonton was going ahead as fast as possible despite rumor to the contrary from Vancouver.

TORONTO WILL HONOR THE PREMIER

Toronto, Feb. 21. Arrangements for the great provincial banquet to Sir Wilfrid Laurier at Massey Hall tonight have been completed. Eight hundred and twenty Liberals will sit down to dinner. There will be no intoxicating beverages served. Total number of people to be admitted to the hall is 3,000.

FOUR BURNED TO DEATH

Johnston, Pa., Feb. 21.—Four people were burned to death and three seriously hurt in a fire which destroyed the home of Patrick Crogan, at Tunnel Hill today.

SUSPENDED PAYMENT

Chicago, Feb. 21.—A run was started today on the Jackson Trust and Savings bank, it being thought by depositors that the institution was involved by the failure of the Bank of America. Despite the statement made by the bank that payment to savings depositors would be made until 5 o'clock a notice was posted much before that time saying that no more withdrawals would be permitted.

PARM RESIDENCE BURNED

The residence of J. Twyford, who has a farm five miles east of the city, was burned to the ground Monday night between the hours of ten and eleven o'clock. The origin of the fire is unknown. Mr. Twyford, the sole occupant of the house, was at the home of a neighbor about three miles away, spending the evening, and did not return home until this morning. The house was a large two-storey frame building.

DIED

SHINNERS.—At the General Hospital, Edmonton, on Tuesday, February 20th, Robert Lee Shinnars, aged 23 years. Funeral from the family residence, corner Twelfth street and Jasper avenue, on Thursday, Feb. 22nd, at 9:30 a.m. All friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

MEDICAL MEN IN CONVENTION

Meeting Held at Cronn's Cafe Last Night Attended by Fifty

A meeting of medical men of Northern Alberta occurred in Cronn's Cafe last night, the result of which will in all probability be the formation of a College of Physicians and Surgeons for the Province of Alberta, to take the place, so far as this province is concerned, of the present College of Physicians and Surgeons of the North-West Territories.

The old society, which is recognized by the ordinances of the North-West Territories, was for the three territories now constituted as the Provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan. The readjustment in legislative boundaries makes desirable a readjustment of territory under the jurisdiction of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, and it was with this idea in view that the convention in Edmonton was called.

There were present at the convention: Dr. Brett, president of the Council of the Territorial College of Physicians and Surgeons; Dr. Seymour of Regina, vice-president; Dr. Lafferty of Calgary, registrar; and Dr. Stewart of Rosheim, a member of the executive; besides Dr. Deverber of Lethbridge, and some fifty members of the medical profession from points in Northern Alberta. Of these, about thirty were from Edmonton, every Edmonton practitioner with the exception of one or two being present. Among those who came from the outside were Dr. George from Innisfail, Dr. Stephenson, Ponoka, Dr. Donovan and Mrs. Dr. Donovan, Red Deer, and Dr. Sutherland, Leduc.

Dr. McIntyre was elected to the chair and Dr. Whitelaw was secretary of the meeting. The business before the meeting was purely of an informal nature, as the meeting was not constituted or organized as a society, and the net result of the deliberations were that it was left in the hands of the executive council of the Territorial college to call a meeting at some future date, the meeting to be authorized by the Territorial College of Physicians and Surgeons as at present constituted, for the purpose of taking action to secure the necessary legislation to secure the formation of an Alberta medical society.

The place of the meeting has not yet been decided upon by the executive, but Dr. Seymour, vice-president of the council, stated this morning that the convention would probably be held on the 8th of March.

SOMETHING TO WHICH WE MAY LOOK FORWARD

Arrangements have been completed for the visit of Miss Edna Sutherland, elocutionist and entertainer, of Winnipeg on Monday and Tuesday evenings, March 19th and 20th. She comes under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A., and by the gracious consent of His Honor, will appear under the patronage of Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Bulver. Further information will appear from time to time concerning this literary and social treat of the season.

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

NOTICE TO ENGINEERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an examination will be held by Mr. David Fraser of Strathcona, a duly appointed Inspector of Steam Boilers for the Province of Alberta at: Morinville, on February 25th, 1906. St. Albert, on February 27th, 1906. Spruce Grove, on February 28th, 1906. Edmonton on March 2nd, 1906. Nine o'clock a.m., for the purpose of giving engineers and apprentices an opportunity for qualifying for certificates under the provisions of The Steam Boiler Ordinance, 1901, and amendments thereto. Application for examination should be made to the above named Inspector, or to

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